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Practitioner's Docket No.: TRW(EHR)5042

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Christoph Dorr

Serial No.: 09/640,038

Group No.: 3679

Filed: August 16, 2000

Examiner: Ernesto Garcia

Date of mailing PTOL 85 entitled "Notice of Allowance
And Base Issue Fee Due" November 15, 2004

For: BALL-AND-SOCKET JOINT WITH BEARING SHELL

BOX ISSUE FEES

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: Official Draftsman

TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Note: *Applicant may correct any informalities in the drawings made by the Draftsman's objections on PTO-948 by filing new drawings with the changes incorporated therein. If the filing of the drawings are delayed until receipt of the "Notice of Allowability" (PTOL-37). Extensions of time may be obtained under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).*

Note: *Applicant is required to submit ACCEPTABLE corrected drawings within the three month shortened statutory period set in the "Notice of Allowability" (PTOL-37). Within that three month period, two weeks should be allowed for review by the Office of the correction. If a correction is determined to be unacceptable by the Office, applicant must arrange to have an acceptable correction re-submitted within the original three month period to avoid the necessity of obtaining an extension of time and of paying the extension fee. THEREFORE, APPLICANT SHOULD FILE CORRECTED DRAWINGS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. Notice of January 14, 1985 (10510.G.3).*

SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Applicant submits herewith new FORMAL drawings for this application to correct the informalities in the drawings and including changes required which has been approved by the Examiner in the Examiner's Amendment/Comment in the Notice of Allowability.

Number of sheets of drawings submitted 4.

Note: *The art unit number, serial number and number of drawing sheets should be written on the reverse side of the drawings. However, for identification of the serial number, the PTO prefers that it be placed on the front. Notice of September 5, 1986 (1070 OG 46 to 59, 54).*

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Date: October 1, 2004

Janet Sherrill

2. The three month period of response set in the Notice of Allowability (PTOL 37) expires on November 15, 2004 and this submission is on or before this expiry date.

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